

H.J. Res. 430: Mr. GORDON, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey, Mr. DARDEN, Mrs. JOHNSON of Connecticut, Mr. MINETA, Mr. ANDERSON, Mr. PETERSON of Florida, Mr. BROWN, Mr. WILSON, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. WEISS, and Mr. CLINGER.

H.J. Res. 431: Mr. MATSUI, Mr. MILLER of Ohio, Mr. GALLO, Mr. HAMILTON, Mr. ANDREWS of New Jersey, Mr. COOPER, Mr. SANDERS, Mrs. VUCANOVICH, Mr. SAWYER, Mr. RAVENEL, Mr. ANTHONY, Mr. LEHMAN of Florida, Mr. ORTON, Mr. MACHTLEY, Mr. HUBBARD, Mr. WYLIE, Mr. HEFNER, Mr. SHAW, Mr. ARCHER, Mr. LAROCOCO, Mr. MILLER of Washington, Mr. LIVINGSTON, Mr. MORAN, Mr. KENNEDY, Mrs. LLOYD, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. KLECZKA, Mr. SLATTERY, Mr. GILLMOR, Mr. NUSSLE, Mr. DARDEN, Mr. HOUGHTON, Mr. CLEMENT, Mr. JEFFERSON, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. PRICE, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. IRELAND, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. JONES of Georgia, Mr. COSTELLO, Mr. BILBRAY, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. LANTOS, Mr. FASCELL, Mr. LEVINE of California, Mr. FISH, Mr. MAVROULES, Mr. FROST, Mr. THOMAS of Georgia, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mr. COBLE, Mr. QUILLEN, Mr. KLUG, Mr. BROOMFIELD, Mr. DORNAN of California, Ms. KAPTUR, Mr. HUGHES, Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. OWENS of Utah, Mr. JACOBS, Mr. LEHMAN of California, Mr. UPTON, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. MCDADE, Mr. BLACKWELL, Mr. PARKER, Mr. ESPY, Mr. DE LUGO, Mr. LENT, Mr. STALLINGS, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. COLEMAN of Texas, Mr. WHEAT, Mr. MCCLOSKEY, Mr. EVANS, Mr. BENNETT, Mr. MAZZOLI, Mr. ANNUNZIO, Mr. SABO, Mr. HAYES of Illinois, Ms. HORN, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. MONTGOMERY, Ms. NORTON, Mr. BARNARD, Mr. GINGRICH, Mr. GRANDY, Mr. HATCHER, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. BACCHUS, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. TANNER, Mr. GONZALEZ, Mr. RAHALL, and Mr. YOUNG of Florida.

H.J. Res. 440: Mr. FASCELL, Mr. FROST, Mr. HAMILTON, Mr. HEFNER, Ms. HORN, and Mr. OWENS of Utah.

H.J. Res. 442: Mr. DORNAN of California, Mr. COBLE, Mr. FASCELL, Mr. PETERSON of Florida, Mr. MANTON, Mr. ACKERMAN, Mr. HAMILTON, Mr. JONES of North Carolina, Mr. HOAGLAND, Mr. DYMALLY, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. GORDON, Mr. MAZZOLI, Mr. CLINGER, Mr. ROSE, Mr. HALL of Texas, Mr. MCGRATH, and Mr. WAXMAN.

H.J. Res. 449: Mrs. MINK, Mr. McMILLEN of Maryland, Mr. MORAN, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. ESPY, Mr. MATSUI, Mr. FALEOMAVAEGA, Mr. LEHMAN of Florida, Mr. DORNAN of California, Mr. TRAXLER, Mrs. PATTERSON, Mr. WALSH, Mr. LAFALCE, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. OWENS of Utah, Mr. EMERSON, Mr. VALENTINE, Mr. WOLPE, Mr. MCGRATH, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. RANGEL, and Mr. BLILEY.

H.J. Res. 450: Mr. EVANS, Mr. QUILLAN, Mr. KOPETSKI, Mr. FROST, Mr. BLILEY, and Mr. BUSTAMANTE.

H.J. Res. 454: Mr. SMITH of Oregon, Mr. HOCHBRUECKNER, Mr. MACHTLEY, Mr. YATES, Mr. MYERS of Indiana, Mr. BURTON of Indiana, Mr. MCCLOSKEY, Mr. BLACKWELL, Mr. WYDEN, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. WOLF, Mr. RIGGS, Mrs. MORELLA, Mr. HYDE, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. WEISS, Mr. LEVINE of California, Mr. WILLIAMS, Mr. WALSH, Mrs. ROUKEMA, Mr. MORRISON, Mr. BERMAN, Mr. DANNEMEYER, Mr. CAMP, Mr. DOOLEY, Mr. PRICE, Mr. SMITH of Florida, Mr. HUGHES, Mr. SANDERS, Mr. COYNE, Mr. MARLENEE, Mr. EVANS, Mr. DIXON, and Mr. LAFALCE.

H.J. Res. 458: Mr. COBLE, Mr. LEVINE of California, and Mr. ALEXANDER.

H.J. Res. 459: Mr. EMERSON, Mr. FROST, Mr. HUGHES, and Mr. ROSE.

H. Con. Res. 42: Mr. HYDE, Mr. LENT, and Mrs. LLOYD.

H. Con. Res. 92: Mr. WILLIAMS and Mr. MCHUGH.

H. Con. Res. 96: Mr. ALLEN, Mr. PAXON, and Mr. NICHOLS.

H. Con. Res. 192: Mr. BRYANT, Mr. RICHARDSON, Mr. DE LA GARZA, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. DREIER of California, Mr. TALLON, Mr. ABERCROMBIE, Ms. COLLINS of MICHIGAN, Mr. GEPHARDT, Mr. HOYER, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, and Mr. FAZIO.

H. Con. Res. 233: Mrs. Roukema, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. MCNULTY, Mr. DARDEN, Mr. PAXON, Mr. HARRIS, and Mr. QUILLEN.

H. Con. Res. 246: Mr. SHAYS, Mr. NEAL of North Carolina, Mr. COYNE, Mrs. SCHROEDER, and Mr. LUKEN.

H. Con. Res. 257: Mr. CHANDLER, Mr. LAGOMARSINO, Mr. LENT, Mr. MARTINEZ, Mr. McDERMOTT, Mr. MORRISON, Mr. NOWAK, and Mr. RIGGS.

H. Con. Res. 276: Mr. LIPINSKI.

H. Con. Res. 295: Mr. CONYERS, Mr. DELLUMS, Mr. GORDON, Mr. DOWNEY, Mr. TOWNS, Mr. HORTON, Mr. COX of Illinois, Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. RANGEL, Mr. HOCHBRUECKNER, Mr. DWYER, of New Jersey, and Mr. BUSTAMANTE.

H. Con. Res. 306: Mr. YATRON, Mr. LEVINE of California, Mr. GOSS, and Mr. PAYNE of New Jersey.

H. Con. Res. 307: Mr. WILSON, Mr. OXLEY, Mr. HAYES of Louisiana, Mr. SPENCE, Mr. HERGER, Mr. SANTORUM, and Mr. FAWELL.

H. Res. 359: Mr. FAZIO.

H. Res. 376: Mr. ZELIFF and Mr. SCHAEFER.

H. Res. 404: Mr. COBLE.

H. Res. 406: Mr. MCEWEN, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. TAYLOR of Mississippi, Mr. ZELIFF, Mr. SIKORSKI, Mr. RAMSTAD, and Mr. ATKINS.

H. Res. 411: Mr. MACHTLEY, Mr. WALSH, Mr. DARDEN, Mr. HORTON, and Mr. FROST.

H. Res. 417: Mr. LIPINSKI, Mr. OWENS of New York, Ms. HORN, Mr. DURBIN, Mr. GORDON, and Mr. CLAY.

H. Res. 419: Mr. SHAW, Mr. SHAYS, Mr. SKEEN, Mr. SMITH of New Jersey, Mr. STUMP, Mr. SUNDQUIST, Mr. TAYLOR of North Carolina, Mr. THOMAS of Wyoming, Mrs. VUCANOVICH, Mr. YOUNG of Florida, Mr. YOUNG of Alaska, Mr. BAKER, Mr. KASICH, Mr. DUNCAN, Mr. PETRI, Mr. GALLEGLY, Mr. RINALDO, Mr. KLUG, Mr. LEWIS of Florida, Mr. BILIRAKIS, Mr. ZIMMER, Mr. KYL, Mr. ROHRBACHER, Mr. COLEMAN of Missouri, Mr. DREIER of California, Mr. MCGRATH, Mr. GALLO, Mr. FAWELL, Mr. IRELAND, Mr. ALLEN, Mr. KOLBE, Mr. FIELDS, Mr. ARMEY, Mr. BATEMAN, Mr. BLILEY, Mr. BUNNING, Mr. COMBEST, Mr. CUNNINGHAM, Mr. DOOLITTLE, Mr. EDWARDS of Oklahoma, Mr. EWING, Mr. GEKAS, Mr. GILCHREST, Mr. GILMAN, Mr. GINGRICH, Mr. HAMMERSCHMIDT, Mr. HASTERT, Mr. HERGER, Mr. HOLLOWAY, Mr. HUNTER, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. LEACH, Mr. LOWERY of California, Mr. MCCANDLESS, Mrs. MEYERS of Kansas, Mr. MILLER of Washington, Mr. MORRISON, Mr. PACKARD, Mr. PORTER, Mr. PURSELL, Mr. FISH, Mr. RIGGS, Mr. SANTORUM, Mr. STEARNS, and Ms. SNOWE.

¶43.60 DELETIONS OF SPONSORS FROM PUBLIC BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS

Under clause 4 of rule XXII, sponsors were deleted from public bills and resolutions as follows:

H.R. 330: Mr. ROSE.

H.R. 2437: Mr. McMILLAN of North Carolina.

H.R. 3211: Mr. SANTORUM.

H.R. 3221: Ms. COLLINS of Michigan.

H.R. 3484: Mrs. BENTLEY.

H.R. 4617: Mr. PORTER.

¶43.61 PETITIONS, ETC.

Under clause 1 of rule XXII, petitions and papers were laid on the Clerk's desk and referred as follows:

149. By the SPEAKER: Petition of the National League of Cities, relative to metropolitan disparities and economic growth; to the Committee on Government Operations.

150. Also, petition of the city of council of the city of La Puente, CA, relative to H.R. 3936; jointly, to the Committees on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs and Ways and Means.

151. Also, petition of the city council of the city of La Puente, CA, relative to H.R. 2806; jointly, to the Committees on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs and Science, Space, and Technology.

TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 1992 (44)

The House was called to order by the SPEAKER.

¶44.1 APPROVAL OF THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER announced he had examined and approved the Journal of the proceedings of Thursday, April 9, 1992.

Pursuant to clause 1, rule I, the Journal was approved.

¶44.2 COMMUNICATIONS

Executive and other communications, pursuant to clause 2, rule XXIV, were referred as follows:

3307. A letter from the Deputy Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report on what would be the anticipated impact of termination of the funding by the Department of Defense for the activities and operations of the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice, pursuant to Public Law 102-172 (105 Stat. 1158); to the Committee on Appropriations.

3308. A letter from the Deputy Director, Defense Research and Engineering, Department of Defense, transmitting notification of one additional fiscal year 1992 test project, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2350a(g); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3309. A letter from the Deputy Under Secretary of Defense, transmitting the annual report of the Foreign Comparative Testing [FCT] Program, pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 2350a(g)(4); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3310. A letter from the Office of General Counsel, Department of Defense, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1993 for military functions of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel levels for fiscal year 1993, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

3311. A letter from the General Counsel, Federal Emergency Management Agency, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to amend title XXXIV of the National Defense Authorization Act for fiscal years 1992 and 1993, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

3312. A letter from the Secretary of Defense, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to provide for effective acquisition, maintenance, and operation of sealift for the Armed Forces, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Armed Services.

3313. A letter from the Secretary of Energy and Deputy Secretary of Defense, transmitting a report of the Defense Science Board on warhead pit-reuse, pursuant to Public Law 102-190, section 3133(c); to the Committee on Armed Services.

3314. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting the report entitled, "Final Evaluation of the Neighborhood Development Demonstration Program," pursuant to 42 U.S.C. 5318 note; to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

3315. A letter from the Director, Office of Personnel Management, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to authorize financial

institutions to disclose to the Office of Personnel Management the names and current addresses of their customers who are receiving, by direct deposit or electronic funds transfer, payments of Civil Service Retirement benefits under chapter 83 or Federal Employees' Retirement benefits under chapter 84 of title 5, United States Code; to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

3316. A letter from the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to make certain programs of the Department of Housing and Urban Development more cost effective, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs.

3317. A letter from the Acting Commissioner, Department of Education, transmitting the first report on the evaluation of the National Assessment of Educational Progress "Trial State Assessment," pursuant to Public Law 100-297, section 3403(a) (102 Stat. 348); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

3318. A letter from the Deputy Secretary of Education, transmitting a copy of Final Regulations—Assistance for local educational agencies in education of children where local education agencies cannot provide suitable free public education, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(d)(1); Referred to the Committee on Education and Labor.

3319. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting a copy of the report on Notice of Final Priorities for Certain New Direct Grant Awards under the Office of Special Education Programs, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(d)(1); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

3320. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting a copy of the report on Notice of Final Priorities—National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research for 1992-93, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(d)(1); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

3321. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting Final Regulations—Educational Partnerships Program, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 1232(d)(1); to the Committee on Education and Labor.

3322. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to extend and amend the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, to improve rehabilitation services for individuals with disabilities, to modify certain discretionary grant programs providing essential services and resources specifically designed for individuals with disabilities, to change certain terminology, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

3323. A letter from the Secretary of Education, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to make certain amendments to the act of September 30, 1950 (Public Law 874, Eighty-first Congress), and the act of September 23, 1950 (Public Law 815, Eighty-first Congress), and for other purposes; to the Committee on Education and Labor.

3324. A letter from the Secretary, Department of Transportation, transmitting the 16th annual report on the Automotive Fuel Economy Program, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. 2002(a)(2); to the Committee on Energy and Commerce.

3325. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting notification of the Departments of the Navy's and Air Force's proposed Letter(s) of Offer and Acceptance [LOA] to Finland for defense articles and services (Transmittal No. 92-20), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(b); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

3326. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equip-

ment sold commercially to Thailand (Transmittal No. DTC-12-92), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

3327. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting notification of a proposed license for the export of major defense equipment sold commercially to Taiwan (Transmittal No. DTC-9-92), pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2776(c); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

3328. A letter from the Director, Defense Security Assistance Agency, transmitting the price and availability report for the quarter ending March 31, 1992, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 2768; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

3329. A letter from the Assistant Secretary of State for Legislative Affairs, transmitting copies of the original report of political contributions of Donald K. Petterson, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Sudan, and members of his family, also Hume Alexander Horan, of the District of Columbia, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Cote d'Ivoire, and members of his family, also Kenton Wesley Keith, of Missouri, to be Ambassador to the State of Qatar, and members of his family, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 3944(b)(2); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

3330. A letter from the Assistant Legal Adviser for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting copies of international agreements, other than treaties, entered into by the United States, pursuant to 1 U.S.C. 112b(a); to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

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3332. A letter from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting certification that the Russian Federation, Ukraine, and Byelarus are committed to the course of action described in the Soviet Nuclear Risk Reduction legislation; to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

3333. A letter from the Employee Benefits Manager, Farm Credit Bank of Columbia, transmitting the audited financial statements as of August 31, 1990, for the Columbia District, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 9503(a)(1)(B); to the Committee on Government Operations.

3334. A letter from the Chairman, Interstate Commerce Commission, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1991, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Operations.

3335. A letter from the Chairman, National Capital Planning Commission, transmitting a report of activities under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1991; pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(e); to the Committee on Government Operations.

3336. A letter from the Chairman, Nuclear Regulatory Commission, transmitting a copy of the annual report in compliance with the Government in the Sunshine Act during the calendar year 1991, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b(j); to the Committee on Government Operations.

3337. A letter from the Chairman, Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation, transmitting the PBGC's management report, pursuant to Public Law 101-576, section 306(a) (104 Stat. 2854); to the Committee on Government Operations.

3338. A letter from the Chairman, Rural Telephone Bank, transmitting the annual report under the Federal Managers' Financial Integrity Act for fiscal year 1991, pursuant to 31 U.S.C. 3512(c)(3); to the Committee on Government Operations.

3339. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting a report of activities

under the Freedom of Information Act for calendar year 1991, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552(e); to the Committee on Government Operations.

3340. A letter from the Deputy Associate Director for Collection and Disbursement, Department of the Interior, transmitting notice of proposed refunds of excess royalty payments in OCS areas, pursuant to 43 U.S.C. 1339(b); to the Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

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3347. A letter from the General Counsel, Department of the Treasury, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to provide for the remedy of a civil injunction for the violations of counterfeiting and forgery, and for other purposes; to the Committee on the Judiciary.

3348. A letter from the Chairman, Advisory Commission on Conferences in Ocean Shipping, transmitting a report containing information on and analysis of the major issues that arise in connection with ocean shipping conferences, pursuant to 46 U.S.C. 1717(h); to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

3349. A letter from the Secretary of Transportation, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to clarify inspection and enforcement authority over foreign passenger vessels and align inspection authority with the International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea, and for other purposes; to the Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

3350. A letter from the Chairman, Inland Waterway Users Board, transmitting the Board's fifth annual report of its activities; recommendations regarding construction, rehabilitation priorities and spending levels on the commercial navigational features and components of inland waterways and harbors, pursuant to Public Law 99-662, section 302(b) (100 Stat. 4111); to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

3351. A letter from the Administrator, General Services Administration, transmitting

information copies of various lease prospectuses, pursuant to 40 U.S.C. 606(a); to the Committee on Public Works and Transportation.

3352. A letter from the Secretary of Veterans Affairs, transmitting a draft of proposed legislation to amend title 38, United States Code, to clarify the authority of the Chief Medical Director or designee regarding review of the performance of probationary title 38 health care employees; to the Committee on Veterans' Affairs.

3353. A communication from the President of the United States, transmitting his decision to terminate the application of title IV of the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2431 et seq.) to the Czech and Slovak Federal Republic and the Republic of Hungary, also proclaim the extension of nondiscriminatory treatment (most-favored-nation [MFN] treatment) to the products of both countries (H. Doc. No. 102-320); to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered to be printed.

3354. A letter from the President, U.S. Institute of Peace, transmitting the financial audit for fiscal year 1991, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 4607(h); jointly, to the Committees on Foreign Affairs and Education and Labor.

3355. A letter from the Fiscal Assistant Secretary, Department of the Treasury, transmitting copies of the following annual report which are contained in the enclosed winter issue, March 1992, of the "Treasury Bulletin": Airport and Airway Trust Fund (26 U.S.C. 9602), Asbestos Trust Fund (20 U.S.C. 4014), Black Lung Disability Trust Fund (26 U.S.C. 9602), Harbor Maintenance Trust Fund (26 U.S.C. 9505), Hazardous Substance Superfund (26 U.S.C. 9507), Highway Trust Fund (26 U.S.C. 9602), Inland Waterways Trust (26 U.S.C. 9602), Leaking Underground Storage Tank Trust Fund (26 U.S.C. 9508), Nuclear Waste Trust Fund (42 U.S.C. 1022(e)(1)), Reforestation Trust Fund (16 U.S.C. 1606a(c)(1)), Statement of Liabilities and Other Financial Commitments of the U.S. Government (31 U.S.C. 331(b)); jointly, to the Committees on Ways and Means, Education and Labor, Agriculture, Energy and Commerce, Interior and Insular Affairs, and Public Works and Transportation.

¶44.3 MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

A message from the Senate by Mr. Hallen, one of its clerks, announced that the Senate had passed with amendments in which the concurrence of the House is requested, bills and a concurrent resolution of the House of the following titles:

H.R. 429. An Act to amend certain Federal Reclamation laws to improve enforcement of acreage limitations, and for other purposes;

H.R. 2431. An Act to amend the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act by designating a segment of the Lower Merced River in California as a component of the National Wild and Scenic Rivers System;

H.R. 2454. An Act to authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services to impose debarments and other penalties for illegal activities involving the approval of abbreviated drug applications under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, and for other purposes; and

H. Con. Res. 287. Concurrent resolution setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for the fiscal years 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, and 1997.

The message also announced that the Senate insisted upon its amendment to the resolution (H. Con. Res. 287) "Concurrent resolution setting forth the congressional budget for the U.S. Government for the fiscal years 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, and 1997" and requested a

conference with the House on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon, and appointed Mr. SASSER, Mr. JOHNSTON, Mr. RIEGLE, Mr. EXON, Mr. DOMENICI, Mr. SYMMS, and Mr. BOND, to be the conferees on the part of the Senate.

The message also announced that the Senate had passed bills of the following titles, in which the concurrence of the House is requested:

S. 1128. An Act to impose sanctions against foreign persons and U.S. persons that assist foreign countries in acquiring a nuclear explosive device or unsafeguarded special nuclear material, and for other purposes;

S. 2055. An Act to amend the Job Training Partnership Act to strengthen the program of employment and training assistance under the act, and for other purposes; and

S. 2620. An Act to amend title VII of the Public Health Service Act to correct a technical oversight in the Disadvantaged Minority Health Improvement Act of 1990 (Public Law 101-527) by making schools of osteopathic medicine eligible to participate in the Centers of Excellence Program, and for other purposes.

The message also announced that the Senate agreed to the amendment of the House to the bill (S. 1254) "An Act to increase the authorized acreage limit for the Assateague Island National Seashore on the Maryland mainland, and for other purposes," with an amendment.

¶44.4 COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK—MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE

The SPEAKER laid before the House a communication, which was read as follows:

WASHINGTON, DC,
April 13, 1992.

Hon. THOMAS S. FOLEY,
The Speaker, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER, Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 5 of Rule III of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, the Clerk received the following message from the Secretary of the Senate on Monday, April 13, 1992 at 10:58 a.m.: That the Senate agreed to House amendment to S. 838; passed without amendment H.R. 4572 and H.J. Res. 402 and made appointments to the Mexico-United States Interparliamentary Group Conference.

With great respect, I am
Sincerely yours,

DONALD K. ANDERSON,
Clerk, House of Representatives.

¶44.5 ENROLLED BILL AND JOINT RESOLUTION SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced that pursuant to clause 4, rule I, he signed the following enrolled bill and joint resolution on Wednesday, April 15, 1992:

H.R. 4572. To direct the Secretary of Health and Human Services to grant a waiver of the requirement limiting the maximum number of individuals enrolled with a health maintenance organization who may be beneficiaries under the Medicare or Medicaid Programs in order to enable the Dayton Area Health Plan, Inc. to continue to provide services through January 1994 to individuals residing in Montgomery County, OH, who are enrolled under a State plan for medical assistance under title XIX of the Social Security Act; and

H.J. Res. 402. Approving the location of a memorial to George Mason.

¶44.6 HOUR OF MEETING

On motion of Mr. MONTGOMERY, by unanimous consent,

Ordered. That when the House adjourns today, it adjourn to meet at 2 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, April 29, 1992.

¶44.7 GENERIC DRUG ENFORCEMENT

Mr. WAXMAN moved to suspend the rules and agree to the following amendments of the Senate to the bill (H.R. 2454) to authorize the Secretary of Health and Human Services to impose debarments and other penalties for illegal activities involving the approval of abbreviated drug applications under the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act, and for other purposes:

Strike out all after the enacting clause and insert:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE; REFERENCE; FINDINGS; TABLE OF CONTENTS.

(a) SHORT TITLE.—This Act may be cited as the "Generic Drug Enforcement Act of 1992".

(b) REFERENCE.—Whenever in this Act an amendment or repeal is expressed in terms of an amendment to, or repeal of, a section or other provision, the reference shall be considered to be made to a section or other provision of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act.

(c) FINDINGS.—The Congress finds that—

(1) there is substantial evidence that significant corruption occurred in the Food and Drug Administration's process of approving drugs under abbreviated drug applications,

(2) there is a need to establish procedures designed to restore and to ensure the integrity of the abbreviated drug application approval process and to protect the public health, and

(3) there is a need to establish procedures to bar individuals who have been convicted of crimes pertaining to the regulation of drug products from working for companies that manufacture or distribute such products.

(d) TABLE OF CONTENTS.—

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"Sec. 306. Debarment, temporary denial of approval, and suspension.

"(a) Mandatory debarment.

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"(c) Debarment period and considerations.

"(d) Termination of debarment.

"(e) Publication and list of debarred persons.

"(f) Temporary denial of approval.

"(g) Suspension authority.

"(h) Termination of suspension.

"(i) Procedure.

"(j) Judicial review.

"(k) Certification.

"(l) Applicability."

Sec. 3. Civil penalties.

"Sec. 307. Civil penalties.

"(a) In general.

"(b) Procedure.

"(c) Judicial review.

"(d) Recovery of penalties.

"(e) Informants."

Sec. 4. Authority to withdraw approval of abbreviated drug applications.

"Sec. 308. Authority to withdraw approval of abbreviated drug applications.

"(a) In general.

"(b) Procedure.

"(c) Applicability.